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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

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At the close of business April 6, 1906

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....	\$274,232.84
U. S. Bonds and Premiums....	52,200.00
Stocks, Securities Etc.....	192.00
Real Estate, Furniture, Etc..	9,500.00
Expense Account	3,470.01
CASH.....	266,577.09
Total..	\$606,171.94
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I, H. O. Boatwright, Vice President of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. O. BOATWRIGHT, Vice President.

Correct Attest:

J. W. HOWELL
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1906.
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SENSATIONAL CASE OFCouttolene and Rangel Accused of
Murdering a Man.**PARTIES ARE RICH.**

Stein, the Victim, Who Was Un-married, Was Accused of Being Intimate With One Defendant's Wife.

City of Mexico, May 9.—The trial of Antonio Couttolene and Francisco Rangel, his nephew, at Puebla, accused of the murder of Gustavo Stein, formerly German consul at Oaxaca City, is in the progress, and is the theme of intense local interest, owing to the wealth and social position of the parties involved, Couttolene being worth \$10,000,000, and the Stein estate being a large and important one. A sensational fact disclosed in the trial is that Stein believed his wife, a woman of great beauty, sustained improper relations with Couttolene, who is an old man and a bachelor. She went with Couttolene to the United States on a pleasure trip, accompanied by some of her children. But strangely in view of Stein's suspicions, he continued to maintain financial relations with Couttolene, who financed some of Stein's important undertakings.

The accused men have not been present in court, as according to law, it is not necessary. The woman in the case is a daughter of Thomas Woolrich, an Englishman, who settled on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec when it was the route of fortune seekers going to California in 1849.

The testimony as to who did the shooting is conflicting. Rangel asserting in defense of his uncle, Couttolene, that he (Rangel) fired the fatal shot in trying to defend the old man from Stein. But surgical and ballistic experts differ, and much depends on how the expert testimony is received by the judge, for there is no jury in the case.

Gustavo Stein, the murdered man, had many business relations with Americans in the United States, particularly in Boston.

PASSES FIRST LAW.

Concurs in the Main Report of the Revivals Committee.

Birmingham, Ala., May 9.—The general conference of the Southern Methodist church passed its first law Tuesday, when it concurred in the main report of the revivals committee, as amended, on powers of unordained preachers. Under the law, preachers who have not been ordained, may preach the gospel, celebrate the rite of matrimony, and in the absence of an elder or bishop, administer baptism, and in the absence of the presiding elder, control the appointment of all services to be held in the church in his charge with the understanding that no permanent powers of ordination are conferred until the same shall be granted by the laying on of hands as he shall have met the disciplinary requirements.

A resolution was also introduced with a view of securing congress and the state legislatures to enact laws to protect dry counties from the shipment of liquor from other localities. It was signed by G. M. Napier, W. G. Post and John W. Bale, and was so approved that a motion was made to suspend the rule and allow it to be passed at once. Adjournment came before action was taken.

The finance committee concurred in the memorial from Mississippi conference to change the distribution of funds raised for the care of superannuated preachers and widows and orphans of deceased ministers.

Among the memorials presented was one from the St. Louis conference for the removal of the time limit fixed for pastors to remain at once place.

The Indian mission conference asked permission to change its conference name.

Among the resolutions were: Providing for the appointment of book agents by the committee; on the federation of the German work in Texas; providing for a church handbook; creating the office of missionary bishop; fixing the places of residence of active bishops; to change composition of annual conferences and bishops.

MEETS AT SAN ANTONIO.

Knights of Columbus Assemble There In Annual Session.

San Antonio, May 9.—State council of Knights of Columbus, a Roman Catholic fraternal order, convened here. T. P. Fenelon of Fort Worth was elected chairman.

EIGHT LARGE BOXES SENT.

Hillsboro, Tex., May 9.—Ladies of this city have sent Bellevue sufferers eight large boxes of clothing.

Frank E. Gillette has been confirmed as an associate justice of the Oklahoma supreme court.

THROTTLE KNIGHTS.

Meet in Biennial Convention for a Long Session.

MANY IN ATTENDANCE

For Four Weeks the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers to Confer Over Matters Pertaining to Order.

Memphis, May 9.—The seventh biennial convention of the Order of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers met here Wednesday at the Grand Opera House. The sessions of the convention will extend through a series of four weeks, and many important matters will be disposed of. The city is decorated in honor of the 5,000 delegates and visitors.

The session was called to order by Grand Chief Engineer W. S. Stone and was largely preliminary. After a brief address Mr. Stone appointed a committee on credentials.

In the afternoon a public reception was tendered the visitors, which was



WARREN S. STONE, CHIEF OF BROTHERHOOD OF LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

addressed by Governor Cox, on behalf of the state, and Mayor Malone for the city of Memphis. Other speakers on the programme were Stuyvesant Fish of New York, president of the Illinois Central railroad; A. J. Davidson of St. Louis, president of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad; George E. Evans of Louisville, vice president of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, and J. T. Harahan, vice president of the Illinois Central railroad.

The ladies' auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers met at Hebrew hall. Mrs. A. W. Murdoch of Chicago, the president, appointed a credentials committee.

Many entertainments have been provided for the visitors, among them excursions to Mammoth Cave, Hot Springs, and trips on the Mississippi river.

AFTER "DRUG TRUST."

Government Has Filed an Injunction in Indiana Circuit Court.

Washington, May 9.—The attorney general has made public the following statement: "The government has filed in the circuit court of the United States for the district of Indiana a petition for an injunction against certain associations, corporations and individuals comprising what is commonly known as the 'drug trust of the United States.' The parties defendant specially named in the bill have voluntarily combined together to control the prices at which proprietary medicines and drugs shall be sold to consumers through retail druggists, in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The parties to the combination include the Proprietary Association of America, National Wholesale Druggists' association and National Association of Retail Druggists."

AMENDMENT ASKED.

Special Committee Desires Change In Article Twenty-Three.

Birmingham, Ala., May 9.—The report of the special committee on article 23 of the church discipline was read. The committee recommended that the general conference ask the annual conference to pass resolutions memorializing the general conference of 1910 to amend article 23 so as to allow foreign conferences to substitute the name of their countries for the words "United States."

Among other committees' recommendations were these: Non-concurrence in request for Sunday-school secretary for Texas; non-concurrence in Kentucky memorial asking for department of advanced Bible study in Teachers' Magazine and Senior Quarterly; non-concurrence in Indian memorial relative to Sunday-schools, etc.

Llano, Tex., will have a third gin.

A Bulgarian band massacred fourteen Greeks.

Wright Robinson, a negro flagman, was killed by a train at Texarkana.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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At the close of business April 6, 1906.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$179,117.41
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	53,000.00
Stocks and Securities.....	6,611.30
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,200.50
Expenses and Taxes Paid.....	2,067.87
CASH.....	196,535.97
Total.....	\$439,533.05

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	48,927.70
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	290,605.35
Total.....	\$439,533.05

I, Albert W. Wilkerson, cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WILKERSON, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 10th day of April, 1906.

ED. S. DERDEN, Notary Public.

Brazos County, Texas.

Correct Attest: { G. S. Parker
Ed. Hall { Directors
J. W. English

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THE CARTER-GUTHRIE WEDDING.
The Galveston News gives the following pleasing account of the Carter-Guthrie wedding, which has heretofore been reported in The Eagle:

At the home of the bride, No. 1213 Postoffice, Monday evening at 5:30, Miss Edna Christine Guthrie, daughter of Mrs. I. Guthrie, and Mr. Alonzo Carter of Bryan, Tex., were united in marriage, Rev. R. M. Hall, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating. The wedding was a quiet one, with only the relatives and intimate friends present. The ceremony was performed in the drawing room. The bridal arch was built of star jessamine vines and held two initial hearts of green, with the letters "C" and "G" in white flowering. The drawing room, library and dining room all carried out the pink and white color scheme, Easter-lilies being prominent, set off with palms and ferns.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. David Guthrie. She wore her going away gown of light tan silk, made in bolera fashion, hand embroidered lingerie waist and suited hat of light tan straw. She carried a bouquet of bride roses and ferns. She was attended by Miss Bertie Guthrie as maid of honor and Miss Lila Parker as bridesmaid. Both were gowned in handmade frocks and carried Easter-lilies. The maid of honor, in point of distinction, wore a blue satin girdle. Mr. Charles Buhman acted as best man.

Following the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served. The floral centerpiece on the table was built in heart design with pink and white flowers.

After the informal reception the young couple left for Bryan, where Mr. Carter is engaged in the photograph business. Mr. Carter made his residence here for a year, being associated with Mr. H. H. Morris, and he left about eight months ago for Bryan. Many beautiful presents were received from admiring friends.

U. D. C. ENTERTAINMENT.

L. S. Ross Chapter, U. D. C., announces an entertainment at Carnegie hall at 8:30 p. m., Tuesday, May 15. Miss Mattie Hardy of Beaumont, well known here as a talented reader and elocutionist, will give a recital. A musical program by some of the best local talent will also be given. The entertainment is for the benefit of the U. D. C. convention fund. Everybody cordially invited.

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RED MEN MEET.

Eleventh Great Council Fire Is Kindled at Waco.

Waco, May 9.—Eleventh great council fire of the Improved Order of Red Men was kindled here Tuesday. Mayor Baker, Waco's "big medicine man," delivered the address of welcome.

Great Sachem Breeding of Huston, in his response to the mayor's address of welcome, said the warriors were delighted with the Waco hunting ground, and would keep the hatchet buried for 20,000 moons in honor of the Brazos river metropolis.

There were present at the opening session between 300 and 400 braves and ladies of the Pocahontas tribe.

Great Sachem Breeding delivered his long talk, followed by the annual report of Great Chief Slawson of Bartlett, the keeper of records.

The keeper of records presented a lengthy paper, showing a total tribal membership of 4,880. The aggregate receipts from the tribes for the year was \$32,133.46.

Membership of Pocahontas, the ladies' auxiliary, is 1,294.

NINA TRUELOVE FREE.

She Was Acquitted at Ardmore on the Charge of Murder.

Ardmore, May 9.—In the United States court Nina Truelove, charged with murder, was acquitted on the first ballot. It was charged she shot and killed William King. It was alleged that the killing was an accident. The case was one of the most noted criminal ones that has been tried in the Federal court in years, and attracted considerable attention.

TWIN COLTS FOOLDED.

People For Miles Flock to See the Little Sorrel Sisters.

Italy, Tex., May 9.—A mare belonging to Louis Smith, living about seven miles west of this place, foaled twin colts, both being sorrel mares, and one of them being a mule and the other of the horse species. This is something new to the people, and they are flocking in for miles to see them.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

Thirteenth Annual State Council Is Held at Corpus Christi.

Corpus Christi, Tex., May 9.—With a large number of delegates in attendance that thirteenth annual council of the Catholic Knights of American began. Father Kirwin of Galveston preached a sermon on "Catholic Knighthood." Secretary D. T. Keller of Austin was re-elected.

"WHITE BEAVER" DIES.

Frank D. Powell, Noted Indian Scout, Expires on a Train.

El Paso, May 9.—Colonel Frank D. Powell, a famous Indian scout, known as "White Beaver," died on a train eastbound from Los Angeles. His body was taken from the train here, and an inquest held. A verdict of death from heart disease was found. Colonel Powell had been in charge of Colonel Cody's interests at Cody, Wyo., for several years.

FACTORY COLLAPSES.

Six Bodies Are Taken Out and Dozens Persons Injured.

Havana, May 9.—The pillars supporting the second floor and roof of the rear part of a large new cigarette factory belonging to Jose Gener collapsed Tuesday, and forty men and women working in that part of the factory were caught in the falling stone, brick and timber debris. Six were taken out dead, and a dozen more were hurt.

Felony Theft Charged.

Houston, May 9.—Charged with felony theft, four employees of the Southern Pacific Railway company in Houston have been placed under arrest. It is alleged that several hundred dollars' worth of brass has been diverted from its destination by false orders.

Resume Work Monday.

Scranton, Pa., May 9.—Work will be resumed throughout the anthracite coal fields Monday. This was decided upon by the miners' convention. Some favored a strike, but they were in a hopeless minority. State constabulary was condemned and miners urged to take an active part in electing legislative candidates friendly to their interests.

Forty Thousand to Be Fed.

Oakland, May 9.—Major J. B. Etwin of the Ninth cavalry, takes charge of the distribution of the relief supplies in this city. It is estimated there are 40,000 persons in this city who are dependent upon relief supplies for food. The general food supply is limited, but under strict supervision of the army it is expected enough can be procured to meet immediate demands.

Four-Legged Chicken.

Paris, Tex., May 9.—Postmaster Wheeler of Maxey has a young chicken with four legs, two of which it uses to stand on and the other two to scratch with. The chicken is as large as a quail, and is as healthy and sprightly as any other chicken.

Most of Them Light.

San Jose, Cal., May 9.—According to advices received from the Lick observatory, there have been twenty-four earthquake shocks recorded on the seismograph of that institution since the morning of April 18.

Furious Snow Storm.

Plainfield, Wis., May 9.—A furious snow storm prevailed over central Wisconsin Monday night and Tuesday, equally as severe as a winter storm.

Oklahoma Knights of Pythias.

Oklahoma City, May 9.—Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias is in session here. There are about 1,000 delegates.

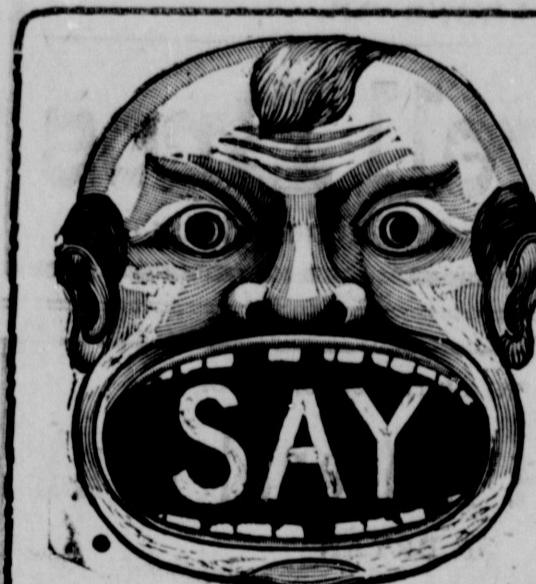
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For Congress—6th district
RUFUS HARDY
Of Corsicana, Navarro County.

For Congress—6th District
RICHARD MAYS
of Corsicana, Navarro County.

For District Attorney—20th District
J. M. RALSTON (re-election)
Of Cameron, Milam County.

For Representative—45th District
J. L. FOUNTAIN (re-election)

BRYAN, TEXAS, MAY 10, 1906.

Congressional candidates Hardy and Mays are contesting warmly for the vote of Navarro county. They had a joint debate at Corsicana last Saturday.

The Eagle acknowledges an invitation to attend the second annual convention of the Interstate Inland Waterway League, to be held in Lake Charles, La., May 22-23, 1906. The purpose of the league is to promote the construction of an intercoastal canal connecting the Rio Grande and Mississippi rivers.

The order has gone forth at San Francisco that everybody must go to work or leave town. That would be a mighty good order to issue right here in Palestine. Every loafer should be made to go to work or hit the road.—Palestine Herald.

Now you are shouting, brother. The vagrancy laws should be administered with vigor and regularity.

THE LENGTH OF A LIFE.

We commonly count age by years. Yet there is another thought and a new view of the question in Bailey's "Festus." There we read: We live in deeds, not years; in thoughts not breaths; in feelings, not in figures on the dial. We should count time by heart throbs. He most lives Who thinks most, feels the noblest, acts the best.

Is not this a higher view of life and more worthy of our adopting than the old, prosaic counting of actual years? The boy was right, in a measure, when he said, in answer to a question as to his age: "Well, my mother says I'm nine; but if you go by the fun I've had, I'm most a hundred." He had an inkling of this counting by what filled the years, rather than the actual "figures on a dial."

How are you counting? By years only, or by the thoughts and actions and feelings that fill them? And are you making every day the noblest and best that you can and filling each year with the best sort of living? For, after all, a year well spent counts more in your life than many wasted ones—yes, even an hour filled with duty well done is of greater worth than a fruitless day. Live nobly, and you will live a life that counts, whether it be long in years or not.—Visitor.

CIGARMAKERS OUT.

Seven Large Factories and Twelve Hundred Men Affected.

Boston, May 7.—The strike of union cigarmakers of this city started here Monday. It is estimated about 1,200 men are out in an effort to force an increase in wages. About seven of the largest cigar factories are affected. Most of the small places have agreed to the new union schedule, which calls for an increase of from 50 cents to \$2 per 1,000 in various grades.

MOTHER'S AWFUL DEED.

Temporary Insanity Causes Her to Kill Daughter and Self.

New York, May 7.—Mrs. Mary Waters and her daughter, Agatha, were shot and instantly killed, supposedly by the mother in a fit of temporary insanity, at their residence, 144 West Seventy-sixth street, early Monday. Mrs. Waters was fifty years of age, and the wife of John R. Waters, an insurance man. The daughter was twenty-two years old. Aroused by the firing, Mr. Waters found his wife dead on the stairway and his daughter a corpse in her bed.

MEXICAN WAR VETERANS.

They and the Dames of 1846 Meet at Dallas in Annual Session.

Dallas, May 8.—The Mexican War Veterans' association and the Dames of 1846 met in annual session at the First Methodist church to-day.

At 10 o'clock President Abe Harris of Fort Worth called the meeting to order. Chaplain W. H. Mason invoked God's blessing.

On behalf of the Dallas Commercial club J. E. Farnsworth delivered an address of welcome, to which Colonel Harris responded.

For the city Mayor Smith extended a hearty welcome. National President Louis F. Beeler responded.

Sterling Price Camp of United Confederate Veterans, through Commander Park, extended greetings. Mrs. Moore Murdock, the secretary, made fitting response.

A musical programme, interspersed with addresses, constituted the remainder of the morning programme. Professor John G. Geeks, a squire of 1846, was chairman of the music committee.

Miss Hallie Beverly, the national sergeant at arms, of the Dames of 1846, is present.

In the afternoon the national encampment of the Dames of 1846 was called to order by Mrs. Moore Murdock, national commandant. After an invocation by Chaplain Mason Hon. R. C. Porter delivered the address of welcome. Mrs. Ella Moore Kirtley, state commandant, responded.

Captain I. M. Mallett of Cleburne made an address. Reports were read. Mrs. Murdock and Messrs. Beeler and Abe Harris spoke.

EPISCOPALIANS MEET.

Annual Convention of Diocese of Dallas Begin Session.

Dallas, May 8.—The annual convocation of the Episcopal diocese is being held at St. Matthew's cathedral. Preliminary to the business session holy communion was celebrated. The business session was called to order by Bishop Garrett. Judge Richard Morgan, who has been secretary since 1874, read the minutes of last year's convocation. The annual address of Bishop Garrett showed an encouraging growth the past twelve months. Several clerical and lay delegates made addresses.

FRISBIE FOUND DEAD.

Head of Former Lieutenant in the Philippines Badly Cut.

El Paso, May 8.—Floyd Frisbie, formerly a lieutenant in the Philippines, was found dead in bed here Monday. His head was badly cut, and an investigation is being made by the authorities. Frisbie enlisted from Corpus Christi in 1898, and had only recently returned from the Philippines.

RECEPTION TO CANNON.

Over Twelve Hundred Persons Celebrate His Birthday Anniversary.

Washington, May 8.—Speaker Cannon was the guest at a reception given him Monday night at the Arlington hotel by his colleagues in the house of representatives in honor of his seventieth birthday. President Roosevelt and almost every official of note in Washington, and others from outside cities, called. Over 1,200 persons greeted the speaker.

Found Wife Dead.

San Angelo, Tex., May 8.—Mrs. Marshall Sims of Coke county, a bride of a few months, was found dead in her bed by her husband when he returned from the field. The coroner's verdict was heart failure.

CONDENSED NEWS.

An old man died from exposure at Midlothian, Tex.

Parasites are destroying bees in Navarro County, Texas.

A limb fell on Will Sterling near Beaumont, killing him.

Secretary of President Castro of Venezuela is at London.

Nationalists in French elections were hardly in the race.

Little son of Andrew Martin drowned seven miles north of Sherman.

A government plant laboratory is to be established in southwest Texas.

Several business houses burned at Blackburn, Okla., loss being \$10,000.

S. K. Prestidge was found dead in bed near Eastland, Tex. Heart failure.

A storm demolished a house at Saratoga, Tex. A Mr. Huggins was badly hurt.

One thousand live quail, billed from Possum Creek, I. T., to Wichita, Kan., were seized.

Famous Washington Park club race track at Chicago is now being cut up into lots.

Unable to endure pain, Edwin Clark, a New York cotton broker, shot himself fatally.

At Eureka Springs, Ark., J. M. Crosky, inventor of several fruit preservers, died.

Face of little girl of Peter Canalias of Terrell, Tex., was badly hurt by being hit by a train.

Grayson County Fruit and Truck Growers' association has a distributing depot at Denison.

At Picayune, Miss., H. T. Hart, a merchant, was shot to death by Police Officer J. L. George.

Nathan Peritz, a wealthy man of Guatemala, died suddenly at Austin. He was en route to New York.

A Denver train was wrecked ten miles from Clarendon, Tex. A coach turned over, but nobody was hurt.

Presbyterian Book of Common Worship is to be published. It resembles Episcopal prayer book. Northern church has authorized it.

Sydney Graves of Galveston and Miss Laura Nicholl of Australia were wedded in All Saints' Episcopal church, Dorchester, Mass.

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HIS VIOLIN

By J. J. BELL
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Frank Sidney crossed the clearing and looked into the dilapidated little hut. At the far end was a window, and near it, with her back to him, stood a slim, dark-haired girl, playing from a sheet of music pinned to the bare wooden wall. She was practicing a short passage of the music, and was evidently finding it difficult. Sidney watched and listened for several minutes, and then, with an absent look on his face, left the window, went round to the door, pushed it open and stepped into the hut.

"Try it this way," he said, quietly; and as the girl turned to him started and confused, he added: "Allow me, please," and took violin and bow from her unresisting hands.

"Watch my fingering," he said, and played the passage twice. "Now try it."

But she did not attempt to take back the instrument. She simply stared at him.

"Good heavens!" he exclaimed, suddenly, the red rushing over his face. "I—beg your pardon. I forgot you weren't a pupil. I must have been dreaming."

Still she stared at him.

"You see, I was wandering through the wood when I heard your violin, and curiosity made me follow the sound. Then I stood outside and listened to you for a bit, and when you got into difficulties it seemed the most natural thing in the world to try to help you. I didn't mean to be rude," he stammered. "Please believe that. I teach the violin a good deal, and—"

"Oh, you weren't rude," said the girl, recovering herself and taking the violin and bow from him, "but you did give me a fright. I shouldn't be practicing here, but—but I've no other place."

"No other place?" he echoed, wondering. "Will you tell me who taught you?"

"My father. He was a beautiful player."

"Music was his profession?"

"Yes. You may have heard of him, Henry Rayward was his name."

"Ah! Every one remembers Henry Rayward, and I have good cause to remember him. How strange it is to meet his daughter like this! Do you know, Miss Rayward, it was your father who helped to get me my first engagement. I met him only on a few occasions, but I found him a man always ready to help others."

The girl's lip quivered, and Sidney did not give her time to speak.

"My name is Frank Sidney, and I'm spending my holidays with my sister at Beechwood. Mere chance brought me to Dovedale this afternoon, but it was happy chance also. Will you shake hands, Miss Rayward?"

She saw that he was puzzled, and after some hesitation she said: "You're thinking it is strange that I shouldn't hear others speak of my father, aren't you, Mr. Sidney? But my aunt and uncle, whom I live with now, never forgave him for being a professional musician, and—and I sometimes fancy they can't forgive me for being his daughter. My mother was my aunt's sister, but I don't remember her. Don't think my aunt and uncle aren't kind to me. They are only rather strict and narrow in their ideas."

"Is there no chance of converting them to reason? It's ridiculous that you should not have a teacher for your violin."

She shook her head sadly.

"Will you let me give you a few lessons?" he said, suddenly.

Her face grew rosy.

"I can't teach you much more than you know," he continued, "but there are a few little points I might help you with. Will you allow me? Will you let me come here and give you a lesson now and then?"

"Oh, you are so good," she whispered, impulsively, "and I—I can't refuse."

"Then may I come to-morrow?"

"Ah, no. I can't get away from the house two days running."

"Well, the day after—that is Thursday?"

"I think Friday would be surer, if it would suit you," she said, shyly.

"Then Friday, at three o'clock."

"Thank you; oh, thank you!"

Nearly two months had gone since the afternoon of their first meeting in the hut. At first there had been two lessons a week, then three, then four; and now Miss Rayward had recklessly promised to meet him every afternoon during the remaining fortnight of his holiday.

Lydia had been imprisoned in dullness so long that she had taken her liberty somewhat wildly, and had certainly not given any serious consideration to the propriety of keeping frequent trysts with a young man of whom she knew nothing beyond what he told her. It was enough for her that he had known and admired her father, that he sympathized with her in music, and that he was kinder to her than anyone she had ever met. At least, it was so with her till one early September afternoon, when a great change took place, or when a great change which had been taking place for weeks was suddenly realized by her.

She was resting from her brilliant efforts when Sidney said: "Do you sing, Lydia?"

"Nothing but hymns," she replied, with a smile. "Uncle Amos can't bear anything else."

"Will you look over these?" he said, handing her several manuscripts. They aren't hymns, exactly, but—"

"Oh, you have been writing songs, Frank," she cried. "How clever of you! When did you write them?"

"Since I got to know you. Don't you recognize yourself even in my poor words?"

"I don't know—don't understand," she replied, uneasily.

"Will you take them home with you, Lydia?"

"Yes," she murmured.

For awhile—a long while, it seemed—there was silence between them.

She broke it awkwardly. "I think I must be going, Mr. Sidney," she said, laying the manuscripts in her violin case.

"Why Mr. Sidney?"

"Oh, I don't—well, then, Frank. It's getting late, isn't it?"

"I thought you told me that your aunt and uncle wouldn't be home till nine o'clock to-night, Lydia."

"Yes; but—I was thinking of practicing a little at home—just to feel what it was like for once."

"You could go on practicing here till you get too hungry to wait any longer," he suggested, with a smile.

"No; I'd better go home," she replied.

"Well, if you insist on going, you must take my violin with you. I'll look after yours in the meantime."

"Oh, Frank. Really?" She was herself again. "Will you trust me with it?"

"Of course. It's a dear old violin," he said, glancing at it affectionately, "but you're its mistress far more than I'm its master. Take it with you, Lydia, and have a good time."

Five minutes later she was gone, and Sidney was left with the persistent question:

Was it the girl or her music that he loved?

In her bedroom Lydia read and re-read the songs that Sidney had given her, and as she read she smiled and wept and asked herself if the words could be true. He had written them since he had known her. Oh, perfect joy! But did he really, really mean what he had written? Oh, terrible doubt! But, above all, she cared. Oh, wonderful love! Ah, but how long it seemed till she would see him again! Oh, dear desire! She knelt down by her bed and hid her face.

After a little, she rose and took his violin from her case—his violin! She propped up one of his songs on her dressing table and began to play the melody, whispering the words, which she had almost learned by heart.

Her door burst open.

"Uncle Amos!" she cried, and then went speechless. For his face was terrifying.

"In my house!" he roared, his big, burly frame shaking with the wrath which he would afterward tell himself was righteous.

And then from the girl's hands he snatched the violin, dashed it to the floor and, with his heavy foot, crushed it into a ruin of splinters.

"Now, that is the end of your fiduciary," he said. "You stayed from God's house for that! Look at it, and repeat!"

She did look at it, and her young face was a piteous sight. But she did not look at her uncle.

Then, without noticing either of her relations, she walked out of the room.

Lydia had but one clear idea, which was that she must inform Frank of what had happened. It was after nine o'clock, and nearly four miles lay between her and Beechwood, where he was staying; but to her in her agony these were minor details. Poor child that she was, she was sure he would never forgive her; yet she felt as if she must die if she delayed her confession. So she walked quickly, and even ran.

"Lydia! Good heavens! What is it?" She had only gone halfway when she heard his voice, for he had been taking a night walk, with his question still unanswered.

Was it the girl or her music that he loved?

"It is you!" she answered, faintly.

He peered at her face in the darkness.

"Lydia, what is the matter? You're like a little ghost."

"I was coming to tell you that I did not take care of your violin. It is broken to pieces," she said, in a voice that made him shiver.

"Don't, Lydia. I—"

"I will pay you for it as soon as ever I can. I have a little money, and I will make Uncle Amos give it to me. Here are your violin-case and your songs. Now, I will go—"

She swayed, but he caught her in time. He took the violin-case from her fingers and dropped it carelessly on the road.

"I will go now," she murmured.

But he only put his arm closer about her, and gazed into her white face.

"I can't let you go," he cried, softly.

"Lydia—Lydia, tell me if you can love me a little, for I love you more than all the world."

"I love you, too," she whispered.

"But—"

And she told him all about it.

When it was over, and he had dried her eyes, and kissed them, too, he said: "Now, it's quite impossible for you to go back to Dovedale to-night. You must come with me to Beechwood, and my sister will take care of you. I'll send a message to your uncle."

"Oh, but, Frank—"

"Oh, but, Lydia, you're just coming with me."

She had to go in the end.

And when they reached Beechwood, Mrs. Marsden seemed to understand everything, and took the girl not only into her house, but also into her arms.

PRINCE VON BULOW



Sometimes a man is prominently before the public because of successful exploit, sometimes because of ill luck, disaster. Of late Prince von Bulow has fared hardly, we read of his illness, his probable resignation as chancellor of the German empire, of alleged diplomatic failure in the Morocco conference and miscarriage of colonial affairs. Of a truth there is nothing so successful as success, nothing so unsuccessful as non-success.

Prince von Bulow has had a distinguished career, since 1900 been chancellor of the German empire. The German statesman is by no means an old man yet, was born in 1849, at Klein-Fleitbeck, Holstein. He studied at Lausanne, Leipzig and Berlin, when the Franco-Prussian war broke out served his country as a soldier. A Bulow won renown as general, one as military historian; it is as statesman and diplomat the subject of our sketch. Bernard von Bulow, has risen to a leading place.

It was in 1844 he entered the German foreign office beginning in the diplomatic field as secretary of legation at Rome; served as secretary of legation also at St. Petersburg and Vienna, during the important period of the Russo-Turkish war (1877-78) was chargé d'affaires at Athens, and was appointed secretary at the Berlin congress.

In Europe a man must have had long experience in diplomatic service before receiving appointment to an ambassadorship. Von Bulow further enlarged his diplomatic experience, at St. Petersburg and Paris and served as minister to Roumania, etc. he was made ambassador to Italy, given this last post in 1893. In 1897 he was appointed foreign secretary, his policy one of imperial expansion. In 1899 Foreign Secretary Bulow concluded with Spain the treaty by which Germany acquired possession of the Caroline, Pelew and Ladrones islands.

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Since insurance matters have monopolized attention we have had several unknowns come to sudden prominence; investigators, heads of committees of investigation, "yellow dog fund" people, etc., ad nauseam. Over in England a gentleman of title has recently taken a step in the insurance tangle which makes us over here look his way, inquire just who is this Earl of Onslow. The gentleman in question made a suggestion in the house of lords which resulted in the announcement that the government would appoint a special committee to investigate American insurance companies with the view to legislation for protecting the interests of the British policy holder.

In England the Earl of Onslow is well known, has held various public offices. In Balfour's cabinet he was president of the board of agriculture, has served as under-secretary for the colonies, parliamentary secretary to the board of trade, governor and commander-in-chief of New Zealand, and under-secretary for India.

The Earl of Onslow is lord of a wide domain, owns 13,500 acres. He succeeded to the title and estates in 1870, at the time a youth of but 17 years. He was educated at Oxford.

We are apt to think of the English leisure class as a set of very idle folk indeed, but this is by no means the case. An Englishman whose family has had money and social position for years, is born to certain duties, feels their insinuance from his youth, is trained to take them up. Generally he goes for politics; sometimes from sense of duty, sometimes because it is "the thing." When one glances over so briefly at the manifold public interests of the Earl of Onslow, for instance, one makes silent vow hereafter to get more information before classing men of title as idle pleasure seekers.

INTERESTING LABOR LEADER



Not infrequently there comes across the Atlantic word concerning James Keir Hardie, now parliamentary labor leader and formerly chairman of the independent labor party. The latest act of Mr. Hardie's coming to our notice, was the pledging of the labor members of the British commons to temperance, inducing them to drink no alcoholic liquors while the house is in session. This is interesting from many sides, and to us the thought occurs that if the saying "drunk as a lord" could be backed up by statistics, how great a power a body of united, sober labor members would be. But of course this is but a flight of fancy—all lords are not given to drunkenness any more than all labor members to abstinence.

Keir Hardie is the son of a working people, himself worked in a mine. His parents were Scotch, he was born in Scotland, some 50 years ago. The little child, James, was put to work in the mines at the tender age of seven and continued at this labor until his 24th year. One meditates on the fact that the child miner has become a man who has gardening as a hobby for his hours of leisure; it seems as though the lad of long ago doomed to sodden toll in darkness underground was now reaping recompense.

But let us turn to facts in the career of the labor leader. In his early efforts in behalf of his fellows we find him serving as secretary to the Miners' union. Presently he is editing the "Cumnock News," later labor candidate for Mid-Lanark; in 1892 first elected to parliament, in 1895 defeated. Keir Hardie is owner and editor of the "Labour Leader."

ADMIRAL PRINCE LOUIS OF BATTENBERG



The British public is very much incensed because Prince Louis has been promoted over the heads of many senior officers to be second sea lord of the admiralty. He stands very high in favor with King Edward, and is often sent by his majesty on special missions. The prince quite recently visited Canada and the United States.

Prince Louis is a big man in many ways, and connected with numerous of the sovereign houses of Europe. Yet he is the son of a morganatic marriage, his father, Prince Alexander of Hesse, having contracted a morganatic marriage with a mere countess, the Countess von Hauke. But the children of this marriage have done pretty well for themselves in spite of the "lowly" mother; three have married princesses of highest degree; one, Alexander, won fame fighting with the Russians in the Russo-Turkish war, and was for a period ruler of Bulgaria. The admiral's brother, Prince Henry of Battenberg, wedded Victoria's youngest daughter, the Princess Beatrice.

Though of Austrian birth, Prince Louis is a naturalized Englishman. He became a naval cadet back in 1868, and has advanced through many grades up to his present exalted position. Prior to his appointment as admiral he held the very important post of chief intelligence officer at the admiralty office. While the queen was alive, for a time he was in command of the royal yacht.

Prince Louis is doubly related to King Edward; is brother-in-law to Edward's sister, and the Princess Louise of Battenberg is the daughter of Edward's brother, the Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha. Louis' marriage with a Hessian princess makes him brother-in-law and cousin of the czar and czarina and of princess makes him brother-in-law and cousin of the czar and czarina and of the widowed Grand Duchess Serge of Russia. One brother married the daughter of Prince Nikolas of Montenegro, wherefore Louis is closely connected with the kings of Italy and Serbia. Surely a personage.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND



The Most Reverend John Ireland is widely known in this country, but of late his name has been especially to the fore, owing to the Bellamy-Storer affair.

Archbishop Ireland was born in Ireland, in county Kilkenny, came to this country when a young boy. He attended the Cathedral school in St. Paul, and later went to France to pursue the study of theology, was ordained to the priesthood at the age of 23. To-day he is one of the most distinguished prelates in America.

The archbishop is closely identified with the northwest, with the advancement of which region he has long been vitally interested. He was but eleven years old when his parents settled in St. Paul, and after finishing his studies abroad he returned to that city

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No. 2 8:40 p.m.

No. 6 2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS:

No. 101 arrives at 6:05 p.m.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS:

No. 102 arrives at 9:25 a.m.

L. B. Kern went to Houston yesterday.

Guy Board returned from Dallas yesterday.

J. L. Broach of Tabor was in the city yesterday.

D. C. Lightsey of Reliance was here yesterday.

Miss Maggie McDougald is visiting in Brenham.

Rev. Stredman returned to Falls county yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Butler returned from Hearne yesterday.

W. T. Jones of Reliance was in the city yesterday.

Joe Thomas of Cottonwood was in the city yesterday.

Capt. J. Adoue was here from Calvert yesterday.

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The Franklin correspondent of the Hearne Democrat says: "The revival meeting at the Baptist church began last Saturday. Much interest is being manifested. Dr. Butler of Bryan is doing the preaching, and all like him."

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The Ladies' Woodmen Circle has issued invitations to K. of P. hall Friday evening, May 11, 8:30 to 12 o'clock, and will entertain in honor of members of the Woodmen of the World.

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NIAGARA'S SAFETY.

President of Preservation Society Makes Statement About Report. Harrisburg, Pa., May 9.—J. Horace McFarland of this city, president of the American Civic society, which organization led the effort for the preservation of Niagara falls, has made a statement regarding the report of the international waterways committee, transmitted to congress on Monday by President Roosevelt. He said:

"This report merely reiterates the recommendations of the American section of the waterways commission as transmitted to congress March 27, against which we protested to Mr. Roosevelt April 4. The report recommends the authorization of total diversion of Niagara water of 64,500 cubic feet per second, which is 40 per cent of the minimum flow of the falls, and would, in the opinion of all but the power companies and waterways commission, seriously damage the great cataract as a scenic feature.

This report is disregarded by Mr. Burton, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the house, who framed the Niagara preservation act known as the Burton-Lodge bill. This bill stops Niagara's destruction at the present point and by prohibiting importation of Niagara made electric power from Canada restrains the Canadian diversion.

The report of the international waterways commission is held to understand that if the commissioners believe what they assert it to be, it is a sacrifice to destroy the scenic effect of Niagara falls. Saying this, they yet propose to bleed 40 per cent from the falls, giving full vitality to all existing franchises except one, and that one the American franchise. It is as if they proposed to allow as many mosquitoes to sting a defenseless man as they thought he could stand without tumbling over.

"We will renew our protest to President Roosevelt at once against this vicious report so favorable to Niagara grabbers and so dangerous to the falls. We have advices from all over America that lead us to believe the people want the falls preserved unharmed and not tapped for private gain to the danger point or beyond."

Mr. McFarland stated that letters in his possession assured strong congressional support to the Burton-Lodge bill.

SCHOONER SINKS.

Another Vessel Is Reported to Be In a Sinking Condition.

Cleveland, O., May 9.—The schooner Algeria sank about two miles off the harbor of Cleveland Wednesday morning. The schooner Iron Queen is in a sinking condition outside the breakwater, and her crew of eight men was taken off by members of the life saving crew.

The storm of Tuesday night and early Wednesday, with the heavy sea it kicked up, was a menace to shipping outside the harbor.

Big steamers tied up by the strike came inside the breakwater, but the small schooners could not get inside. Signals of distress came to the saving station and Captain Motley of the saving station went out to the Iron Queen, rescuing her crew with difficulty. They could not reach the Algeria, which went down about two miles out. Captain Motley thinks there were at least three men on the Algeria, but does not know whether that is the actual number.

PHOTOGRAPHING RUINS.

Series of Pictures Being Taken to Preserve in War Department.

San Francisco, May 9.—The signal corps of the United States army is photographing San Francisco's ruins from balloons. A series of pictures is being taken to be kept on file by the war department at Washington. Several hundred pictures have already been taken of different buildings, and an order sent for three balloons, so a complete panoramic picture of the city can be had.

INDEMNITY PAID.

Settlement Made For Destruction of Missionary Buildings, Etc.

Hongkong, May 9.—The viceroy of Canton paid to the American consul at Canton, Julius G. Lay, the sum of \$60,000 as indemnity for mission buildings, personal property of missionaries and claims of converts, as the result of the destruction of property during the rioting at Lien Chow in October last. The money will be transferred to the Presbyterian settlement at Lien Chow.

KILLS WOMAN AND SELF.

Woman Shot to Death by a Man Who Ends His Existence Also.

Denver, May 9.—A man entered a house in the tenderloin district early Wednesday and killed Leona Flammert, thirty-five years of age, and ended his own life by shooting himself. It is said the woman had been living in fear of the man, with whom she had been friendly.

PITTSBURG BANK FAILS.

Deposits Amounted to Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Pittsburg, May 9.—Columbia Savings and Trust company has closed its doors by order of the commissioner of banking. Hon. William J. Diehl, former mayor of Pittsburg, is president and J. M. Votan secretary and treasurer.

The capital stock is \$145,000; deposits, \$200,000; loans, \$290,000, and surplus, \$60,000.

Thornton Missing.

Paris, Tex., May 9.—J. J. Thornton, a leading hotel proprietor, has been missing since Tuesday and friends and relatives are searching for him. He was a gallant Confederate.

LIKE AN UMBRELLA.

Dense Columns of Smoke Arose From Crater of Vesuvius Tuesday. Naples, May 9.—Vesuvius again showing activity. Tuesday a dense column of smoke was arising from the



VESUVIUS IN ERUPTION.

crater and spreading like an umbrella accompanied by loud detonations and electrical discharges, which are especially noticeable from Resinau. The main crater is discharging sand and cinders.

ROSE RE-ELECTED.

Supported by Element Favoring Licensing of Gambling Houses.

Kansas City, May 9.—W. M. Rose, who resigned the office of mayor of Kansas City, recently, pending state ouster proceedings against him for non-enforcement of certain laws, and who was later ousted by the supreme court, which disregarded his resignation, was re-elected mayor by 1,600 plurality at a special election Tuesday.

The issue of the election was the enforcement of the prohibition and anti-gambling laws. Rose was supported by the element which believes that the best interests of the city demand the licensing of joints and gambling halls, as they maintain that a strict enforcement of the law against such places deprives the city of its necessary revenue.

E. E. Venard, Rose's Republican opponent, who has been acting mayor since Rose resigned, was supported by the temperance people. Many women voted, and most of them supported Venard. The question of Rose's right to hold the office of mayor will now be tested.

SAM SIMS SWINGS.

Mob Lynches Him For Killing Horse Constable Was Riding.

Jackson, Miss., May 9.—Sam Sims, a negro, who, on Sunday morning, killed the horse upon which Constable Lamar Hendricks, who was attempting to arrest him, was riding, was taken from the hands of the authorities Monday night at 11 o'clock and lynched near the public road about six miles west of Jackson.

The mob was an exceptionally orderly one, and after hanging Sims quietly departed. Officer Hendricks, in whose charge the negro was at the time of the lynching, was en route with his prisoner to Jackson. Nothing was known of the occurrence until a man passing along the road Tuesday morning saw the negro swinging from a limb.

UNION LABOR INSURANCE.

Movement Under Way For Company of That Character.

Cincinnati, May 9.—That a movement is under way for the organization of a life insurance company for the benefit of union labor developed during the discussion of the subject of insurance in the convention of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America here Tuesday. The matter has been left to the telegraphers to look into the matter thoroughly, and report to President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor.

PLOT TO KILL.

Intention Was to Assassinate President of Santo Domingo.

San Domingo, May 9.—It has become known that the authorities on Sunday discovered a plot to assassinate President Caceres as he was leaving a theater. Several arrests have been made. Shots were exchanged Monday night near this city between rural guards and supposed revolutionists.

WOUNDED BY BOMB.

In Garret of House Other Death Dealers Are Discovered.

Paris, May 9.—A striking carpenter named Habert and another man were wounded Tuesday by the explosion of a bomb which they were engaged in loading in the garret of a house situated in one of the districts inhabited by the people of the working classes. After the men had been arrested Prefect of Police Lepine searched the garret and found other bombs. It is believed that the bombs were being prepared for use in connection with an anarchist plot.

COLLIDE AT CLEVELAND.

Automobile and Street Car Come Together With Fatal Results.

Cleveland, May 9.—As a result of a collision between an automobile and a street car at Scoville and Woodland avenues just before midnight Tuesday night B. B. Robertson is dead and two others fatally injured. All were occupants of the automobile.

Not Assassinated.

St. Petersburg, May 9.—Ignatoff was not assassinated at Kleff. He is here.

ALL BUT ONE.

Mexican War Veterans Elect Same Officials Except Vice President.

Dallas, May 9.—Dallas was selected for next year's meeting place of Texas Mexican War Veterans' association.

President Abe Harris and the secretary, Mr. Moore Murdock, were re-elected. Mr. B. F. Draper was chosen vice president, Colonel Buck, owing to his feeble condition, requesting that he be not again elected.

Senator Smoot of Utah sent his regrets at not being able to attend the reunion. He was thanked for his successful efforts in getting the \$20 per month pension bill through the senate. The measure is now pending in the house.

GORMAN VERY ILL.

Maryland Senator Is Reported in a Critical Condition.

Washington, May 9.—Senator Gorman of Maryland is critically ill at his home in this city. He has not been in his seat in the senate for many weeks. Within the last few days he had a severe sinking spell and his life was despaired of. His sickness began several months ago with an attack of grippe, with every indication that it would culminate in pneumonia, but this was averted. Now it is learned he is suffering from a complication of ailments, which give no promise of his recovery.

WHITECAPPERS CONVICTED.

Over Three Hundred Pleaded Guilty, and Were Fined Minimum Penalty.

Jackson, Miss., May 9.—Over 300 citizens of Franklin county, charged with being members of a whitecappers' organization, pleaded guilty before Federal Judge Niles on the charge of intimidating government homesteaders, and were each given the minimum fine, \$25, and three months' imprisonment. The imprisonment was held up during good behavior.

The case has attracted more attention than perhaps any other in recent history of the state, owing to the prominence of the men involved. Among the indicted was the sheriff of Franklin county.

MORE MONEY ASKED.

Secretary Taft Recommends Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Washington, May 9.—The president Tuesday transmitted to congress a letter from Secretary Taft recommending the appropriation of an additional \$500,000 to meet conditions at San Francisco.

Secretary Taft's letter shows that of the \$2,500,000 appropriated for the relief of San Francisco, \$2,245,333 has been expended or contracts made which will consume this sum.

ONLY ONE PLACE.

Leviathan Battleships Can Be Built at New York Navy Yard.

Washington, May 9.—The construction bureau of the navy is willing to undertake to build the immense 20,000 battleships provided for in the pending naval appropriation bill, and on the basis of experience accorded in construction of the battleship Connecticut at New York navy yard feel sure then can execute this task with reasonable dispatch at a minimum cost. A careful estimate limits the time allowed for construction to forty-eight months and cost to \$10,000,000. The New York navy yard is found to be the only place available and suitable for this work.

Again Reversed.

Dallas, May 9.—The court of criminal appeals has again reversed the Burrell Oates case. Oates, who is a negro, was given the death penalty for alleged complicity in the killing of a man named Aronoff. Holley Vann was hanged after conviction in this case. Alleged errors in Judge Muse's charge are reasons given for reversal.

Declared a Dead Letter.

Cincinnati, May 9.—Charles G. Dawes, comptroller of the currency, in a speech before the Bankers' club, declared that the Sherman anti-trust law is a dead letter and a discouraging influence to business.

Sea Level Canal Bill.

Washington, May 9.—Senator Morgan's bill providing for a sea level canal for the Isthmus, except Culebra, where he proposes locks, was ordered laid on the table by the senate committee on interoceanic canals.

Solsky to Be President.

St. Petersburg, May 9.—Count Solsky has been appointed president of the council of the empire. M. Freesh, a member of the council of the empire, has been officially designated to open the lower house of parliament.

Official Assassinated.

Washington, May 9.—Mr. Corea, Nicaraguan minister here, has received a cablegram stating that Adolfo Altamirano, Nicaraguan minister for foreign affairs, has been assassinated.

Jay Gould Still Wins.

London, May 9.—In the court tennis championship round Wednesday Jay Gould of Lakewood, N. J., won the first set against Eustace H. Miles, holder of the championship.

Two Postmasters Named.

Washington, May 9.—The president has nominated W. G. Nagle for postmaster at Denison and G. W. Hill at Saratoga, Tex.

Snow and Ice.

Lexington, Ky., May 9.—There was a light fall of snow in this section Wednesday, but it quickly disappeared. Ice formed on pools.

A little child of Mr. Mitchell, fifteen miles from McKinney, fell in a pot of boiling soap and died.

Use a little "SUNSHINE"

It makes old